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## DENTAL ROOMS.

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## DAILY EVENTS.

Thursday, July 10, 1890.

Greeley nominated for president, 1872. "Thriftless ambition, that will ravin up thine own life's means!" —Macbeth, II., 4.

Henry Gunn, Tonica, was in Ottawa yesterday.

H. V. Wilson has gone to Chicago on business.

Will Hulze is spending a vacation in Southern Illinois.

Bert Wilson has gone to Chicago to reside permanently.

Gus O'Kane has gone to Omaha to work on a bus line.

Miss Rose Diehl was calling on Ottawa friends yesterday.

Miss Lonie Sample, of Chicago, is visiting friends in Ottawa.

Mrs. Dorothy Balcom leaves to-day for her home at Kentland, Ind.

Miss M. J. McGinley left yesterday for the West to spend her vacation.

J. T. Buckley, of Streator, was in Ottawa yesterday on legal business.

Dr. J. O. Harris expects to be able to resume his business in a few days.

Miss Nellie Downey leaves for Utica to-day to visit her friend, Miss Maggie Lynch.

B. F. Shotwell is improving, but cannot be moved in the least as yet. He will recover.

Fred Haberle has taken E. B. Raley's place as mail-carrier and will control a west side route.

Allen Wylie, Wells Cook and Dr. Matthew Wilson, of Mendota, were in Ottawa yesterday.

Mrs. Charles A. Palmer, of Princeton, is the guest of her brother, James H. Eckels, and family.

Miss Fannie Dudgeon, of Englewood, is the guest of her aunts, Mrs. Nash and Miss Dudgeon.

The Callopie Quartette accompanied the Ottawa delegation to the K. of P. encampment at Milwaukee this week.

Mrs. A. E. Aldren and daughters, of Geneseo, are spending a week with Mrs. J. J. Damm, on Illinois avenue.

Mrs. Wm. Norris, mother of Constable Richard Norris, left yesterday for Chicago to consult physicians as to her health.

The north approach to the Columbus street bridge across the canal needs some repairs. That loose plank may cause a serious accident.

Judge Evans and wife have gone to Waukesha, Wis., to attend the K. of P. convocation. Mr. Evans represents E. Y. Griggs Temple No. 13 of this city.

W. H. Bernhard, the lecturer, has gone to Chicago to enter the lecture field. He intends to stump the state this fall in the interests of the Prohibition party.

D. B. Snow and children, Will and Lottie returned from Boston, Mass., yesterday. Will graduated from the Boston University a few weeks ago and Mr. Snow and daughter attended the exercises. They were also present at the celebration of the 250th anniversary of the founding of the city of Haverhill. They report a pleasant visit and delightful country.

Friday, July 11, 1890.

Alexandria bombarded, 1882.

"With a bombast circumstance Horribly stuffed with epithets of war." —Othello, I., 1.

Mrs. Elias Day has gone to Streator to visit friends.

Frank O'Meara, of Streator, was in Ottawa yesterday.

Mrs. B. S. Barber, of Joliet, is visiting friends in this city.

T. E. MacKinlay will return from Waukesha, Wis., to-day.

Mrs. T. Slattery, of Chicago, is visiting friends in this city.

Philip Sullivan, of La Salle, attended the ball game yesterday.

The July session of Supervisors opens next Monday morning.

Miss Edith Caton, of Yankton, S. D., is the guest of Chas. Caton and family.

Manager Hall, of the La Salle Imperial, saw Ottawa walloper Fritz Clausen yesterday.

Mrs. Andy Rhoades and young son are spending a few days with relatives in the country.

Miss Mamie Hayden, of Seneca, is the guest of Mrs. T. F. McCarthy, Marquette street.

C. J. McCarthy, the popular Prairie Center grocer, was doing business in Ottawa yesterday.

John Keating has gone to Morris to accept a position as night operator at the Rock Island depot.

Jerome Witt, of Chicago, representing the Girard Insurance Company, was in Ottawa yesterday.

The German Lutheran Sunday school will give a picnic in Allen's Park on the last Thursday in July.

A party of South Ottawa young people picnicked south of this city yesterday and all had a pleasant day's sport.

Mrs. S. E. Young and children, of Chicago, who have been the guests of J. D. Young and family, returned home yesterday.

Lee Uhl and Wm. Morehouse, street car drivers, have changed routes. Lee is now on the Ottawa Avenue line while Billy takes the South Ottawa run.

Samuel Richardson and bride returned from their wedding trip yesterday and for the present will reside at the home of the bride's parents on Nebraska street.

Miss Susie Hall and A. McLaughlin, of Prairie Center, both well known in Ottawa, were married last Tuesday. Fifty friends attended the reception at the home of the bride's parents.

The annual Baptist S. S. picnic will occur next Thursday, July 17th, at

Mayo's Grove, 1 mile south of the river. The street cars will convey the school to the end of the line and carriages will take them from there out to the grove, about 1 mile. The younger members of the school will be furnished with street car tickets next Sunday and the older members can get tickets at half rate.

Full line of road carts cheap AT GAY & SON'S.

A General Overhauling.

Having made a complete change in departments in our store, we find in the shake-up several lines of goods which we are desirous of closing out.

We offer some great bargains in linens. Towels at 25c and 50c, worth double; towels at 7c; a great bargain in table linen at 28c; another at 48c that are worth a great deal more.

Special bargains in crash remnants. Special sale of dress goods.

REMNANTS.

If you have been waiting for a remnant sale don't forget us.

Every department has undergone a change and good values can be had to clean up.

W. H. HULL & CO.

We lead in the vehicle trade.

GAY & SON.

A probably disastrous conflagration and, worse, a terrible death to think upon, was happily averted Thursday morning by the foresight of Samuel Pierson, linensmith at Jordan & Hamilton's. He was at work in the shop repairing a kettle and Johnny Groaner stood by with a small torch in his hand. The soldering can was filled with gasoline and some of the gas escaping was suddenly ignited. The flames leaped to the ceiling and set fire to young Groaner's clothing. He began to scream and started for the door. Mr. Pierson took in the scene at a glance and throwing the burning Johnny, whose clothes were burning fiercely, he succeeded in throwing him to the floor and with a bucket of water quenched the flames. The whole performance occupied possibly ten seconds and when the alarm of fire was turned in the flames had been extinguished. The boy was burned about the face and hands, but his injuries are not serious. The fire department made a quick run, as usual, but the fire was out when they arrived.

All work we sell is manufactured in Ottawa AT GAY & SON'S.

"Expert Bookkeeper."

Will Simon has received his diploma from the Ottawa Business University, and with the flattering testimonial that he has kept the best and most accurate sets of books in all its branches. Any one desiring to have their books examined or new ones opened can not get a better opportunity to have it done according to the best and most approved methods known. Give the boy a chance.

Don't Fail

To see E. Y. Griggs if you want lubricating oil. He will give the best oil, and the price will suit you. There is no discount on this.

Delegates from the various G. A. R. Posts included in the Big Bend Association met at Wenona on Wednesday to fix the time and place of the next annual re-union. Lacon and Hennepin were the two towns anxious for the honor of entertaining the old soldiers, and both towns had pledged an amount of money amply sufficient to cover all expenses and carry out the programme "in style." After much discussion and a good deal of lobbying a vote was reached which resulted in a triumph for Hennepin by a vote of 15 to 12. The date selected is Sept. 15, 16 and 17.

Lubricating Oil.

Farmers will find it to their interest if they will step into E. Y. Griggs' drug store and get his prices on the best lubricating oil sold in the county. He has the inside track with all competitors.

E. Y. Griggs

Sells the best lubricating oil at lowest prices. Farmers will remember this.

"The Last Slave-ship," is the romantic, but entirely true narrative of a voyage on a slave ship from New Orleans to the Congo and back to the West Indies in 1859. The author, George Howe, M.D., had just been graduated at a medical school, and accepted an opportunity to go with some freedmen to Liberia. That part of the voyage accomplished, all disguises were abandoned and the vessel sailed to the Congo for twelve hundred slaves. Dr. Howe's description of the voyage in the July Scribner is frank, picturesque and exciting. It will undoubtedly be widely read, as probably the last record of an eye-witness of the slave traffic as carried on in an American vessel.

Wear Them for Comfort.

We are turning out as many light colored satteen shirts, our own manufacture, as we can make, at only \$1.25 each. Newest possible patterns. The latest craze. Then besides the flannels, we have lots of black satteen and silk shirts. The black goat at \$1.75, and the silk at \$3.00, sold everywhere at \$5.00 each. These goods are all our own make, are guaranteed in quality and fit, and are rare bargains at the prices we quote. Call and see them.

M. STIEFEL.

White Corner Clothier.

Look Before You Step.

J. E. Porter is having a fine trade in binders and binder twine at the Farmers' Supply House, 115 Main street. He sold a carload of mowers and a carload of binders this week. Give him a call for your binder twine.

Gasoline Stoves.

The "New Process" and "Reliable"—safe, economical and easily operated AT JORDAN & HAMILTON'S.

## YOUR CHANCE TO BUY

Remnants.

J. E. Scott & Co. have commenced their Annual Summer Sale of Remnants, and will continue the sale until all are cleaned out. At the end of each season we find in all our departments an accumulation of short lengths, broken assortments and "odds and ends."

These must all be cleared out right away, for our

NEW FALL GOODS are commencing to arrive every day.

NOTE CAREFULLY:

Remnants of 7c prints for 3c per yard.

Remnants of Challies for 3c per yard.

Remnants of 12c lawns at 5c per yard.

Remnants of table linens.

Remnants of toweling.

Remnants of dress goods.

Remnants of carpetings.

A great many nice short pieces of dark goods, three to ten yards in a piece.

Just the thing for combining with other goods, for a lady's full suit, or for children's dresses.

The most of these short lengths are in dark colors and suitable for fall and winter wear.

We believe this is an opportunity worth looking into.

You will find a better quality of goods in remnants and in better shape than ever before, and the prices so low they will surprise you.

They are selling readily. Call early. J. E. SCOTT & CO.

Buckboards and spring wagons at low prices AT GAY & SON'S.

Ladies' walking shoes at J. Megaffin's.

Remember we have reduced prices on all our work. GAY & SON.

Traction Engine.

Farmers, or others, who have use for a No. 1 Traction Engine—a machine in first-class repair and of abundant capacity—will find it to their interest to call at Sweetser's agricultural store. This engine will be sold cheap and you will realize it after it is gone.

Shoe dressing for colored shoes at J. MEGAFFIN'S.

Binder Twine.

Sweetser, at his agricultural store, has the bulge on all others selling binder twine. The best in Ottawa for the money. Just what you want—a new deal.

Call and examine our stock of surries, buggies, spring wagons, and get prices. GAY & SON.

Flannels at Bargain Prices.

M. Stiefel, the old reliable "White Corner" clothier, has commenced a slaughter on flannel shirts, home manufacture of course. The light colored satteen sells for \$1.25, the black at \$1.75 and silk worth \$5.00 go at \$3.00. Buy while you have a chance.

Binders and Mowers.

The "Red, White and Blue," and "Walter A. Wood" mowers sold only by JORDAN & HAMILTON.

Top buggies from \$75.00 to \$100.00 at GAY & SON'S.

Youths' and Misses' lawn tennis shoes for 50 cents at J. MEGAFFIN'S.

Bargains in millinery at Mrs. Hentrich's.

Corn Has Gone Up

to 33 cents, but prices on summer clothing have dropped way down at M. STIEFEL'S.

Buy vehicles from home manufacturers and get the best.

AT GAY & SON'S.

A good flannel shirt for \$1.25 at M. STIEFEL'S.

White Corner.

A complete line of vehicles at low prices AT GAY & SON'S.

Wedron Center.

The roads are dry.

Most of the farmers are making hay. A man working for Charley Dennis got sun struck Monday afternoon. He died that night.

Jim Hite has finished cutting his winter wheat.

We farmers wish that the Serena hunters would hunt on their own land, as we don't care to be eat up by hounds.

Joe Temple, a farmer living near Serena, fell from a shed and severely injured himself.

We are sorry to hear that the boys from Wallace cannot come to Wedron without being insulted by these chaps. You had better look out for Frank and Ed, are dandies.

The committee, as they were called, had a fine crowd to their picnic. They dined upon crickets and grass-hoppers until their spirits began to fail.

That Thompson boy says he does not dare to go any further than the big gate for grandma will see him.

How we poor farmers wish we were grangers, so that we could get our twine cheap.

We hear that Frank Beach is cutting Mr. Brown's grain.

A number of the boys attended the dance at the Park on the 4th.

Mrs. Hays was up to see Mrs. Hathaway last Sunday.

Mr. Smith says he is looking every minute for a load of grain to come. I guess his eyes are failing.

Mr. Swanger is helping Geo. Debolt make hay.

PANSY.

Straw hats below cost at Mrs. Hentrich's.

Every vehicle fully warranted that you buy of GAY & SON.

## New Turnip Seed.

Early Purple Top Strap Leaf.

80-Cent Japan Tea, - - 50 Cents

50-Cent Japan Tea, - - 25 Cents

W. C. RIALE & CO.

BARGAIN GROCERS.

## 3 BARGAINS.

## The Greatest You ever Saw!

## Gents' Night Robes,

At 50 cents, 54 inch, full length and size.

At 75 cents, Best cotton, nicely trimmed.

At \$1.00, we have one embroidered with silk,

never before sold for less than \$2.00.

CALL AND SEE.

W. H. HULL & Co.

FREE! FREE! FREE!

The most beautiful catalogue ever published, containing "photo-gravures" of Illinois river scenery, and full information regarding the

## Ottawa Business University

The only school in the West that employs Experienced Business Men as teachers.

Our Graduates Secure and Retain Positions.

Summer term in session. Fall term opens Sept. 1st. For catalogue or information call on or address

F. J. TOLAND, Pres., or W. G. LOWE, Sec'y.

WALTER A. WOOD

Single Apron Harvester Improved for 1890.

This machine is now handling the seven feet rye in splendid shape, which shows it is the best machine in the market. A machine built on any other principle could not accomplish such perfect results as the Walter A. Wood is now doing. There is no clogging, no missing and very light draft.

"WOOD" AND OTHER MOVERS AT JORDAN & HAMILTON'S.

Fine summer millinery as Mrs. Hentrich's, Court street.

Before leaving for New York Miss A. D. Brady will have a sweeping sale of millinery, commencing on Saturday, July 12th, at her new quarters, Colwell block, north of postoffice.

Summer goods must go. Ladies' trimmed hats and all trimmed goods below cost.

Baby caps, 5c and upwards.

Ladies' straws, 15c and upwards.

Children's straws, 5c and upwards.

Miss Brady invites all her lady customers, old and new from the city and vicinity, to call at her new millinery establishment.

Remember the commencement day and place of sale. Everything goes.

Miss A. D. BRADY, Colwell Block, La Salle street.

Gay & Son, manufacturers of fine carriages.

Men's working shoes at J. Megaffin's.



Good Eye Sight AND HEARING.

The Berlin Optical Company

3119 Fifth Ave., Chicago.

Dr. F. Dracass, Oculist, will be at the Windsor Parlors, Ottawa, Saturday until Monday.

July 6, 27, 28. Treating all diseases of Eye and Ear. Scientific methods and instruments personally brought from Paris, securing good sight. Ophthalmic examination of internal eye. Squint, etc., straightened without operation. Deafness and catarrh of ear and nose practically and successfully treated. Testing eyes for glasses free. July 12th

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